

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

JOSEPH THOMAS BECHTEL,	:	
Petitioner,	:	1:15-cv-0770
v.	:	Hon. John E. Jones III
	:	
VINCENT MOONEY, et al.,	:	
Respondents.	:	

ORDER

June 28, 2016

NOW THEREFORE, upon consideration of the petition (Doc. 1) for writ of habeas corpus, and in accordance with the Court's Memorandum of the same date, it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

1. The petition (Doc. 1) for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 is **DENIED IN PART** and **DISMISSED IN PART**.
2. The portion of the petition challenging Petitioner's judgment of sentence is **DENIED** as time-barred by the statute of limitations. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 2244(d). There is no basis for the issuance of a certificate of appealability. 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c).
3. The portion of the petition challenging the denial of parole is **DISMISSED** as moot.
4. The Clerk of Court is directed to **CLOSE** this case.

s/ John E. Jones III
John E. Jones III
United States District Judge